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Sir:

The following is presented in response to the Office Action mailed June 18, 2007, in connection with the above-captioned patent application.